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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Application Number	10/723,321
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First Named Inventor	David G. Shaw
Examiner Name	Marianne L. Padgett
Art Unit	1762
Attorney Docket No.	56770US035

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1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims Extra Claims Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$) Multiple Dependent Claims
21 - 20 or HP = 1 x 50 = 50 Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$)
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20
Indep. Claims Extra Claims Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$)
- 3 or HP = x =
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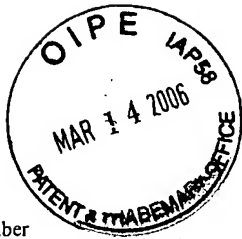
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Serial No.:	10/723,321	Group Art Unit:	1762
Confirmation No.:	9479		
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Introductory Comments

This is in reply to the Final Rejection mailed December 14, 2005, and is accompanied by a Request for Continuing Examination, Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, Terminal Disclaimer and Statement Under 37 CFR § 3.73 (b).

Please amend the application as follows:

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